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Note by the Secretariat

The annex to the present note lists the documentation to be considered by the Fifth Committee during the first part of the resumed fifty-seventh session of the General Assembly and indicates the status of preparedness of documentation as at 26 February 2003. Where documents have not been issued to date, estimates of the date of their submission and issuance have been indicated.

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Annex

List of items and documents for consideration by the Fifth Committee during the first part of the resumed fifty-seventh session of the General Assembly (3-28 March 2003)

Agenda item	*Title or description*	*Estimated date of submission*	*Actual date of submission*	*Estimated date of issuance*	*Status of issuance*	*Submitting office*
Item 111	**Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations**					
	Revolving credit fund					
A/52/822	Report of the Secretary-General on a revolving credit fund (General Assembly resolution 52/12 B, para. 20, decisions 52/477 and 53/454)				Issued	MPO
A/53/645 and Corr.1 and 2	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
	Gratis personnel					
A/57/721	Annual report of the Secretary-General on the use of gratis personnel, indicating nationality and summarizing duration and functions performed (General Assembly resolution 51/243, para. 12, and decision 55/462) (see also agenda item 118)				Issued	OHRM
A/57/735	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
	Improving the working methods of the Fifth Committee					
A/C.5/52/L.58	Draft proposals submitted by the Chairman on improving the working methods of the Fifth Committee				Issued	DM

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Item 112	**Programme budget for the biennium 2002-2003**					
	Information and communication technology strategy					
A/57/620	Report of the Secretary-General on information and communication technology strategy (General Assembly resolutions 56/239, 56/271 and 57/280)				Issued	OCSS
	Standards of accommodation for air travel					
A/57/485	Report of the Secretary-General on standards of accommodation for air travel (General Assembly resolutions 39/236 and 56/273)				Issued	DM
Oral report	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*					ACABQ
	Report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "The results approach in the United Nations: implementing the United Nations Millennium Declaration"					
A/57/372	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "The results approach in the United Nations: implementing the United Nations Millennium Declaration" — Part one. The results-based budgeting and results-based planning experiment: shortcomings				Issued	JIU
A/57/372/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "The results approach in the United Nations: implementing the United Nations Millennium Declaration" (A/57/372)	31 Jan.	31 Jan.	3 March		CEB/DM

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	Report of the Joint Inspection Unit on support costs related to extrabudgetary activities in organizations of the United Nations system					
A/57/442	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Support costs related to extrabudgetary activities in organizations of the United Nations system"				Issued	JIU
A/57/442/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Support costs related to extrabudgetary activities in organizations of the United Nations system" (A/57/442)	31 Jan.	31 Jan.	28 Feb.		CEB/DM
A/57/434 (paras. 5-6)	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
Item 114	**Improving the financial situation of the United Nations**					
A/57/	Periodic reports of the Secretary-General on improving the financial situation of the United Nations					DM
Item 116	**Pattern of conferences**					
A/57/32	Report of the Committee on Conferences				Issued	DGACM
A/57/228	Report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences (General Assembly resolution 56/242)				Issued	DGACM
A/57/228/ Add.1	Report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences: draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings for 2003				Issued	DGACM
A/57/228/ Add.2	Report of the Secretary-General on the pattern of conferences: draft revised calendar of conferences and meetings for 2003				Issued	DGACM

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A/57/289	Report of the Secretary-General on improving the performance of the Department of General Assembly Affairs and Conference Services (General Assembly resolutions 56/253, para. 84, and 56/242, sect. II, para. 6)				Issued	DGACM
A/56/901	Report of the Secretary-General on the status of recruitment for the Interpretation Section at the United Nations Office at Nairobi (General Assembly resolution 56/242, sect. IV, para. 9)				Issued	DGACM/ OHRM
A/57/472	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
A/C.5/57/18	Letter dated 18 October 2002 from the Chairman of the Sixth Committee addressed to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee				Issued	
A/C.5/57/21	Letter dated 12 November 2002 from the President of the General Assembly addressed to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee				Issued	
Item 117	**Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations**					
A/57/76	Report of the Secretary-General on measures to encourage Member States in arrears to reduce and eventually pay their arrears (General Assembly resolution 56/243 A, para. 6)				Issued	DM

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Item 118	**Human resources management**					
	Reports requested by the General Assembly in its resolution 55/258					
A/57/293	Report of the Secretary-General on human resources management reform (including: question of young professionals, unplanned vacancies, underrepresentation of Member States, contractual arrangements, problems resulting from increasing staff mobility, accountability and responsibility, on performance management and career development) (General Assembly resolution 55/258)				Issued	OHRM
A/57/276	Report of the Secretary-General on the monitoring capacity in the Office of Human Resources Management (General Assembly resolution 55/258, sects. VII, paras. 8 and 10, and XI, para. 9) (see also agenda item 123)				Issued	OHRM
A/57/30	Relevant chapter of the report of the International Civil Service Commission on: (a) A comprehensive review of the question of mobility and its implications for career development (General Assembly resolution 55/258, sect. V, para. 2) (b) Conditions of service (General Assembly resolution 55/258, sect. XII, para. 1)				Issued	ICSC
A/57/469	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
	Composition of the Secretariat					
A/56/512 and Corr.1	Report of the Secretary-General on the composition of the Secretariat (General Assembly resolutions 45/239 A, 47/226, 49/222 A and 51/226)				Issued	OHRM

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A/57/414	Report of the Secretary-General on the composition of the Secretariat, including a study on the ramifications of changing the relative weights of the population factor (General Assembly resolutions 45/239 A, 47/226, 49/222, 51/226, 53/221 and 55/258, sect. X, para. 4)				Issued	OHRM
A/C.5/56/L.7	Report of the Secretary-General transmitting a list of staff of the United Nations Secretariat (General Assembly resolution 49/222)				Issued	OHRM
A/C.5/57/L.3	Report of the Secretary-General transmitting a list of staff of the United Nations Secretariat (General Assembly resolution 49/222)				Issued	OHRM
	Amendments to the Staff Rules					
A/56/227	Report of the Secretary-General on amendments to the Staff Rules (staff regulation 12.3)				Issued	OHRM
A/57/126	Report of the Secretary-General on amendments to the Staff Rules (staff regulation 12.3)				Issued	OHRM
A/C.5/56/3	Note by the Secretariat on the streamlining of rules (General Assembly resolution 55/258, sect. VIII)				Issued	OHRM
	Mandatory age of separation					
A/56/701	Report of the Secretary-General on the mandatory age of separation (General Assembly resolution 55/258, sect. XII, para. 2)				Issued	OHRM
A/C.5/56/ CRP.1 and Add.1	Additional information on the mandatory age of separation				Issued	OHRM
A/56/846	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ

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	Placement of staff members serving in the Executive Office of the Secretary-General					
A/56/816	Report of the Secretary-General on the placement of staff members serving in the Executive Office of the Secretary-General				Issued	OHRM
	Use of consultants					
A/56/834	Report of the Secretary-General on consultants and individual contractors (General Assembly resolution 53/221, sect. VIII, para. 4)				Issued	OHRM
A/57/16	Report of the Committee for Programme and Coordination on the work of its forty-second session, chap. II, sect. C (Different methodologies that might be used to correct the geographical imbalance in hiring consultants)				Issued	DM
A/57/310	Report of the Secretary-General on the implementation of decision 56/460 on the use of consultants in the United Nations (General Assembly resolution 53/221, sect. VIII, para. 4, and decision 56/460)				Issued	OHRM
A/57/469	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
	Employment of retirees					
A/55/451	Report of the Secretary-General on employment of retirees (General Assembly resolution 51/226, sect. VI, para. 7)				Issued	OHRM
A/56/7 (paras. 130-135)	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
A/57/413	Report of the Secretary-General on retirees, including current practices related to the special ceiling on United Nations earnings for United Nations retirees employed on a short-term basis in language services (General Assembly resolution 56/242, sect. IV, para. 4)				Issued	OHRM

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A/57/721	Annual report of the Secretary-General on the use of gratis personnel, indicating nationality and summarizing duration and functions performed (General Assembly resolution 51/243, para. 12, and decision 55/462) (see also agenda item 111)				Issued	OHRM
A/57/735	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
	Reports of the Office of Internal Oversight Services					
A/56/956	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on possible discrimination due to nationality, race, sex, religion and language in recruitment, promotion and placement (General Assembly resolution 55/258, sect. IV, para. 23)				Issued	OIOS
A/56/956/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the comments by the Joint Inspection Unit on the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on possible discrimination due to nationality, race, sex, religion and language in recruitment, promotion and placement (A/56/956)				Issued	JIU
A/57/726	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the implementation of all provisions of General Assembly resolution 55/258 on human resources management by the Department of Management (General Assembly resolution 56/253, para. 153)	10 Feb.		27 Feb.		OIOS

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Item 122	**Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services**					
A/57/451	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the annual report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services for the period from 1 July 2001 to 30 June 2002 (General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B, 55/259 and 56/246, paras. 3-6)				Issued	OIOS
	Management review of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights					
A/57/488	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the management review of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (General Assembly resolution 56/253, para. 128)				Issued	OIOS
	Investigation into sexual exploitation of refugees by aid workers in West Africa					
A/57/465	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Office of Internal Oversight Services on the investigation into sexual exploitation of refugees by aid workers in West Africa (General Assembly resolutions 48/218 B and 54/244)				Issued	OIOS
Item 123	**Administration of justice at the United Nations**					
A/56/800	Report of the Secretary-General on the administration of justice in the Secretariat (General Assembly resolution 55/258)				Issued	DM
A/57/276	Report of the Secretary-General on monitoring capacity in the Office of Human Resources Management (General Assembly resolution 55/258, sects. VII, paras. 8 and 10, and XI, para. 9) (see also agenda item 118)				Issued	OHRM

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A/57/441	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Reform of the administration of justice in the United Nations system: options for higher recourse instances" (General Assembly resolution 55/258, sect. XI, para. 10)				Issued	JIU
A/57/441/ Add.1	Note by the Secretary-General transmitting his comments and those of the Chief Executives Board for Coordination on the report of the Joint Inspection Unit entitled "Reform of the administration of justice in the United Nations system: options for higher recourse instances"				Issued	DM/CEB
A/57/736	*Report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions*				Issued	ACABQ
A/C.5/57/25	Letter dated 8 November 2002 from the President of the United Nations Administrative Tribunal addressed to the Chairman of the Fifth Committee				Issued	